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SATURDAY MORNING, JUNE 21, 1884.

THE OUTLOOK.

Some hint of what the campaign will be may be found in what is printed in the dispatches from day to day, and particularly in those accounts yesterday morning of the Blaine and Logan receptions in Maine and the ratification demonstration in Washington.

The best and most noted speakers of the party will be found early in the field. Probably the best two speeches made thus far are those of Gen. Logan at Bangor on Thursday and Senator John Sherman at Washington on the same day. Logan emphasized the unanimity of the voice of the people in nominating Blaine at Chicago, and argued from this that in a country where the people rule, the people will elect; and when we think how much of an enthusiastic "people's campaign" the one before us will be, we can see the force of Logan's remark when he said that "if there are those who claim to belong with us who are unwilling to go along with us now, they will be found standing on the wayside after the procession has passed by." There is enough in this little sentence to fear in mind while the procession is moving along, at any rate.

It is, doubtless, the plan of the republicans to organize early and start the campaign as soon as possible, though nothing will be positively settled in regard to the matter un il the meeting of Blaine and Logan with the national committee at New York on the 26th. Senator Sherman gave a keynote that will be caught up all along the line, when he said that he would support the nominees "even if they were less worthy than I know them to be for the distinguished honor proposed for them. I would do it for my own honor. I have no patience with any man who, for himself or any other person, would take his chances for success in a political convention, and when disappointed would seek to thwart the action of the convention." There are some who have heretofore been republicans who are not in accord with Senator Sherman in this sentiment, but where there is one such there are thousands who think precisely as he does. The American people believe in fair play, and have no patience, any more than Sherman has, with men who go over to the enemy after helping to make up all the plans. There will probably be less occasion to speak of the bolters as the campaign progresses; but, just now, it is the popular thing for those speakers of national reputation not to leave them out of their remarks; and, so far, they have discussed them in a way to put them in the light of having done that which a not countenanced among the square dealers in American politics. There is no doubt but that this is the popular handling of the question and it will be the principal thing talked of until we have Blaine's letter of acceptance and see the campaign well opened with the democratic candidate also in the field.

There is something besides harmony to be seen in the Saratoga convention, which was intended to be the first step toward putting Cleveland in the field as this democratic candidate for whose name we are waiting. That very formidable individual in New York politics, Mr. John Kelly, is by no means going of into a profound slumber, lulled by the "harmony" of the Saratoga convention. He is effort told the democrat a party of New York that unless Tammany hall could secure better treatment at the hands of the democratic state convention than had lately been awarded to them, they would regard it as equivalent to due notice from the democratic party of New York that Tammany hall was something else than a democratic organization. "Either we are democrats or we are not," said Kelly, "and in either case we propose to see that unless two better democrats than Blaine and Logan are nominated by the democrats at Chicago in July, Blaine and Logan shall be elected." Kelly can put his own interpretation upon the treatment he received after the nomination, as Mr. Curtis has and if Cleveland shall be nominated it is pretty certain that he will open a schism that will make the New York independents look infinitely insignificant by comparison. And added to this possible Kelly trouble, which may be regarded as probable, judging from the conduct of Kelly in the past, the opposing party has other things to consider, which the New York *Sun*, regardless of anybody's feelings, makes public mention. It denies that the bolting republicans of 1882 are the bolting republicans of 1884, and says:

> Exactly the opposite is the case. The Republicans who helped to defeat Mr. Folger and to swell Mr. Cleveland's majority to enormous size were Girdled republicans, unwilling half-breeds, and Hessians are the voters who are now most enthusiastic for Blaine. The Hon. Ellis H. Roberts of Utica is a type of this class of republican voters. They cannot be counted as against Blaine because they were against Folger. They are for Blaine for the very reasons that put them in opposition to Folger.

Starting from the fixed fact of Governor Cleveland's great majority two years ago, it is not quite so easy to work out a satisfactory result in New York state for next November as some of our friends seem to imagine.

One or two despondent republicans in our own immediate vicinity seem to lose sight of the fact that as between the two parties in the next contest, the republican is the one that is reasonably sure to attract most votes from the other. It has the most to offer that the average voter can secure a benefit in and catch some political hope from. This average voter wants a man of whom it can be said as Senator Harrison said of Blaine in the Washington demonstration:

> Bring forward the best and ablest man of the nation, assemble the great men not only in our land but in others; let the sun move no not to the nations of Europe; let Bismarck and Gladstone be in the company, and we will not fear to have their measure applied to our candidate. Blaine will stand among them as a representative of whom the American people need not feel ashamed. He has stood in the house of representatives when his rolls bore the names of our most representative men, and no man counted Blaine to be inferior to the best. In the senate no man counted him an unworthy opponent.

This is the kind of candidate the people want nor all the ogle, nor all the sophistry employed by the democrats and independents can persuade them that, as president, Blaine will not be greater and better than he has been in any of the places to has filled on his unfaltering journey toward the White House.

The outlook was good on the day of the nomination, and it has been getting better ever since.

The Buffalo *Express*, which bolted Judge Folger's nomination in 1882, is awaiting the action of the democratic convention before taking any definite position with regard to the republican nominations. It says: "It is a question for deliberation, and not for impulse and we shall consider it coolly after all the materials for the formation of a wise judgment are before us, and not in the heat of a disappointment which we confess has left us sore and despondent. We shall wait to see what the democrats, whose facility at blundering is phenomenal, are likely to achieve to bring about a partial relief of the situation."

The charges against Mr. Blaine date back more than eight years. They span their forces in 1876. The people never took stock in them. Two legislatures of Maine elected him to the United States senate since then, once to fill the unexpired term of Senator Morrill, once to be his own successor. Not a single republican opponent hits on that of any other account. In 1881 the senate of the United States, democrats as well as republicans, joined in confirming his nomination for the highest office in the joint gift of the president and the senate.

The St. Louis *Globe-Democrat* heartily favors Sena or Hill's postal telegraph bill. It believes that the government has the right to establish a telegraph system, and that one will be established sooner or later.

Mr. Hale and Mr. Frye, who twice tried and failed to nominate Mr. Blaine, made a mistake in remaining away from Chicago this year—say the Maine republicans say.

SUPPORTING MR. BLAINE.

One of our state exchanges says: "What is THE OREGONIAN trying to do anyhow? One would be led to believe by reading its editorials that that journal was supporting Mr. Blaine. But turn your attention to its miscellaneous political clippings and telegraphic dispatches and you find scarcely anything but jokes and flings at him. This blowing hot and cold at the same breath won't 'pan out.' If THE OREGONIAN does not wish to support Mr. Blaine, let it come out fairly and squarely and say so; people will then know how to take it."

It would naturally be supposed that no one would undertake to edit or publish a newspaper without having some faint conception of what a newspaper is. But unfortunately some do. It is unfortunate for the public and usually a pecuniary loss to themselves. A newspaper is not intended for the suppression of news, but for its publication. It is not a newspaper when it suppresses even one half of the news, as the exchange from which we have copied seems to demand that we should do. Newspapers exist together and print the news and to serve only such interpretation of it as will enable people to understand it more readily or clearly. Any departure from this impairs the purpose of the paper and discredits it as a business enterprise. It is a well recognized principle of morals which is at the same time a law of journalism—that what exists for one purpose but pretends to exist for another is a sham and a cheat; and an organized sham does not deserve success, and never attains that eminent degree of success which is gained by organization filled with vigorous and earnest hearts for a purpose.

THE OREGONIAN is a newspaper, and therefore, although it supports Mr. Blaine it does not intend to pervert the news and suppress what is unfavorable to his election. If it did it would be a partial and inefficient organ of intelligence and the people who want to read the history of the time would be compelled to take other papers. It is to the credit of the people of this country that they like such a paper—that they do not want the news filtered for them, by the associated press, not by the editor of the paper which they take. They are grown up and they do not want to be fed with a spoon. Such criticisms as the one we have copied originate only in immature or partially developed minds. Fully developed and mature minds can trust themselves and trust others; to investigate the news for themselves. They do not want any mother, whether it be the mother church or the mother campaign committee to prepare their intelligence for them. Fisher Ames says, "the people always mean right, and if time is allowed for reflection and information they will do right." A man who distrusts the people is not a true republican. Even Gladstone in England is placing more and more responsibility upon the people, entering their relations with the government and inviting their support by trusting them. THE OREGONIAN shows its respect for the people by giving them the news of the day—the accumulated evidence of the state of facts, or the condition of men and society in the world as it is, and leaving them to decide upon this evidence with respect to all the concerns of their life, and to venture or refrain from venturing upon their gren or little projects. There is no reason why it should depart from this honorable course during a campaign. The people want to hear all the evidences, and they do not want to be deceived by the suppression of a part of it, even though the editor, or some of his campaign advisers may imagine that a good purpose may be served by its concealment.

And in this respect THE OREGONIAN does not differ from other large newspapers, some of which are more strictly partisan. The Chicago *Inter-Ocean*, for example, is a newspaper which regards itself as being a straight party paper, and is so narrow and stupid that it calls George William Curtis, and the men who sympathize with him in respect to the nominations, "the dudes," and yet it publishes the news of the disaffection in the party which comes by telegraph, and, in addition to this, it copies about a column of extracts daily from its exchanges to show the drift of the campaign. In other words, it aims to do a newspaper business like THE OREGONIAN, and other reliable organs of the party are daily doing the same thing. And there is no "slowing but and cold at the same breath" in this course. There is nothing in it inconsistent with the support of Mr. Blaine. For the editor does not endorse or agree with all that is published in his paper. He puts into his paper miscellaneous political clippings and telegraphic dispatches merely as news, not as expressions of his own opinion, and in the same way he admits communications which are directly opposed to his opinions. It is an extremely narrow platform for an editor to stand upon, that he must approve of everything that transpires in the world, or keep the intelligence of it from his readers. I cannot an editor publish the report of a murder without approving the act? Must he omit his story of shipwrecks and cyclones and earthquakes, or subject himself to the charge of delighting in the destruction of his fellow men? The mere statement of what this theory leads to shows how untenable it is. Those who wish to know what THE OREGONIAN thinks must look to its editorial utterances. It will try to make that matter plain, and at the same time continue to let its readers know what other people think and what they are doing.

GOOD MOVE IN A CLOSE STATE.

One of the closest of the close states is placed in the best possible condition for the republicans by the nomination of Wm. H. Calkins for governor. He now represents the thirteenth Indiana district in congress, and is serving its fourth term. During the forty-seventh congress he was chairman of the committee on elections, and made himself popular by the fairness of his arguments in the many cases presented to the house by him on behalf of the committee. He is a great favorite on the floor of the house, where he has the attention of members and gallery whenever he speaks. He is a large, handsome man, with a strong, pleasing voice, and has the Blaine facility of making every one he meets his personal friend forever. He was a brave soldier in an Indiana cavalry regiment, and has always been the special champion of liberal appropriations for both West Point and Annapolis. The young men all swear by Calkins in Washington and in Indiana, his course having endeared him to them. He went from the legislature of his own state to congress, and is personally known to voters from lake Michigan to the Ohio river. He was not a dark horse, but the man of all those available who has been most desired and talked of for a year past, and he starts with the compliment of a nomination on the first ballot. The democrats will probably play their best card by nominating ex Governor Hendricks to run against him, but Hendricks is too old and has made too many enemies to be a match for Calkins. If he Republicans go through the campaign, doing the right thing at every juncture as promptly as they have done the right thing in nominating Calkis is in the close state of Indiana, they will have a comparatively easy victory. Indiana is really the most evenly divided between the parties of all the states in the union.

The state of New York has a new law in relation to the rights and liabilities of married women. It provides that a married woman may contract to the same extent, with like effect in the same form as if unmarried, and she shall her separate estate shall be liable thereon, whether such contract relates to her separate business or estate, or otherwise, and in no case shall a charge upon her separate estate be necessary.

The New York *World* is fixing up democrats in tickets that will be "invulnerable to either the free trade or rebel cry," and in doing so it is compelled to leave off both Bayard and Carlisle. It pairs men as oddly as the Georgia cornerucker makes up his team of a mule and a jackass yoked together. For instance: McDonald and Randall, Hewitt and Payne, McDonald and George William Curtis. With its fear of the "free trade cry" and "the rebel cry," it is likely to do something quite ridiculous.

The man Thomas Stephens, who is traveling from San Francisco to Constantinople on a bicycle, ought to be stopped at New York and nominated by the independents for the presidency. He will be as much out of it as a lonely race by the time he reaches there that they could find to nominate him and start him right back. They might put the bicycle on the ticket for vice president, and in that way make a consistent and faultless campaign that would reach all the way across the country.

The democrats of Tennessee pinned themselves upon a platform and pledged themselves shperitally to the national convention. The Cuban who was hanged at Key West the other day got upon a platform and pledged himself cheerfully to the sheriff over a bottle of wine. Then he fell through the platform. It had a place in it like the democratic tariff plank—it could be made to look like a smooth surface or like a hole.

INDORSED BY HIS PASTOR.

Statement by Rev. Dr. Peeb Concerning Mr. Blaine's Character as a Man.

ALBANY *Journal*, Dr. David H. Peeb, of the Second Presbyterian church in New York city, makes the following estimate of James G. Blaine, which ought to discount ten times over what is said by Henry Ward Beecher and other clergymen who do not know him personally:

"I have known Mr. Blaine since 1852. During these years of that time I was pastor of the church in Augusta of which Mr. and Mrs. Blaine are members. The satisfactory I take in the confidence in his God upon and knowledge of him as only a pastor can gain. I believe that I am to be true a republican, and I know in my conception of citizenship is too high to permit me to ratify the exaltation of any man whose character has not the true ring. I have been very brief to Mr. Blaine, not only in the most trying political crisis, but in the sharper trial of great grief in the household, and have never yet detected a false note. I would not be understood as crowning too much for human nature. I mean that as I have known him he has stood loyally by his convictions; that his word has always had back of it a clear purpose, and that in spite of always warm temper he has shown the highest self-control. In this sense he was always the soul of generosity and good heart. It was always summer in that house whatever the weather. Mrs. Blaine is the delight and now only his rich neighbors and kinsmen welcomed him home, but a long time of the poor hailed his return as a special token of providence. In the church he is honored and beloved. The good old New England custom of churchgoing with all the guards is enforced strictly in the Blaine household. Whatever the weather, from the president down, is expected to be with the family at church. Fair weather or foul, those pews are always well filled. Nor only he, but his family with, but the influence, his wise counsels, his purse his freely devoted to the interests of the noble old Son h Church of Augusta. The hold which Mr. Blaine has maintained upon the hearts of such great numbers of his countrymen is not unfamiliarly explained by brilliant gifts or magnetism; the secret lies in his personal purity, Christian character. Those who have known him best are not surprised that his friends all over the country have been determined that he should not serve his highest honor within their gift. It is because they believe in him. The office has sought the man, he political rajpers to the contrary notwithstanding. I have also had knowledge that Mr. Blaine did not lift a finger in influence the convention. He was quietly at home devoting himself to his business affairs and thoroughly enjoying the entertainment of every family to interest himself in behalf of the nomination. I for one, shall put my conscience into my vote next November."

Scholarship and Youth.

Chambers' Journal.

It would fall ill to repeat all the anecdotes that might be told of the vanity of scholars. Richard Bentley, Thomas Stanley could not be a scholar but has appeared in baroque since the revival of learning, always spoke, wrote and acted as if he considered a great scholar the great child of men. In the last edition of *Notes and Queries*, he describes a quite length the characteristics of his ideal critic, and pretty plainly indicates that he considered himself as that model individual. If in scholarship, Samuel Barr was inferior to Bentley, his vanity was at least equally colossal. Shepherd, "who knew him out all his friends," is aware of great scholars a past and the only one now remaining of that race is Mr. No man's horse carries more Latin than Parr's. He lay claim to an acquaintance with whom he was out a thing. In signal contrast to the opinions these two writers entertained of themselves was the verdict which Porson, the greatest Greek scholar England has seen, passed on himself. Being once asked why he and pro mised so little original matter, he replied: "I fought if I could produce any original work which could command the attention of posterity. I mean only be known by my notes; and I am quite satisfied if Dr. Blaze Bailey and myself can be read in that one Person lived toward the close of the eighteenth century who did a good deal for the text of Euripides."

Lords Sent away Hungry.

Baltimore Sun.

A recent social affair just related from Florida tells a good story at the expense of Jay Gould. When Mr. Gould was lying off Fernandina a party of gentlemen, including several of the English nobleman, traveling in Florida this season, received an invitation from him to pay a visit to the yacht in his vessel. They were received by Mr. Gould with much politeness and shown all over the yacht by him in person. The whole party then went below in compliance with the yacht and its appointments, and all were in high spirits, expecting of course that when the inspection was concluded a collation would be served. But nothing was said about lunch, and they were not even invited to take a glass of wine or a thimbleful of old rye, although lingering in the cabin for hours. The party finally left the vessel, and one of the British lords was in such high dudgeon that he went off without saying good-bye to the host of the evening, and afterward remarked that he "was no gentleman to set in such a manner. He said if the owner of a yacht in Great Britain should treat guests in that style he would be "sent" in all good society.

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	Inches				
Portland	29.98	65	N	00	Clear
Dalles	29.98	72	NW	00	Clear
Umatilla	29.97	71	S	00	Clear
Baker City	29.96	68	W	00	Clear
Boise City	29.96	66	NW	00	Clear
Lewiston	29.90	75	NW	00	Clear
Walla Walla	29.93	72	NW	00	Clear
Spokane Falls	29.92	68	NW	00	Clear

Maximum temperature for the day, 72 degrees.
Minimum temperature for the night, 52 degrees.
Total precipitation for the day, 00 inches.
Total precipitation since January 1st, 1884, 10.61 inches.
Excess of precipitation since January 1st, 1884, 1.61 inches.

SUMMARY OF THE WEATHER IN THE EAST

Reports are received at the following places
Chicago Minneapolis Milwaukee Duluth
Marquette Cincinnati Cleveland Toledo
Detroit Buffalo Oswego Albany Erie Pa
Rochester Syracuse Boston Portland Me
Eastport Me Philadelphia Pittsburgh Harrisburg
Washington Lynchburg Richmond Norfolk
Wilmington Charleston Augusta Atlanta
Montgomery Vicksburg Meridian Shreveport
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CITY.

IN BRIEF.—A crowd of boys were at the corner of Main and Sixth streets playing marbles and cutting capers generally, when they copied an ice wagon up Sixth street which had passed unnoticed among them that moment. It was a square affair, and Giles's circus was the name on it. Nothing was missing the family circle, and the boys soon left the place, while the horse which appeared to amuse him re mained in front of Dr. Strong's residence on the sidewalk. Oh that boy! He had a great many pranks to play, a little too many—for instance, last, a little too many—to protrude through the skin with a pocket knife, and gleefully peer at the ice cream and cake within. They seemed to enjoy it, one and all, for each one of the party followed vacillating in such capacity as he could to wait on anyone around and the boy, covered milk can the lid of which he had left on the top of his head and stooping down took a drink of water, emptied over my mother, and rather than have himself back, bringing the can, emptying the contents all over himself from head to foot with the remaining bottle. In two min utes he was a block within

ARRIVAL OF EXCURSIONISTS.—By yesterday's steamer there arrived in this city the largest number of eastern people who have ever yet visited Oregon in any one party. The company is known as the Raymond excursion party and they started from Boston May 1st for a trip which is to last seventy three days. There are about sixty persons in the party, under the guidance of Luther L Holden of Boston and H Bagley of St Johnsbury, Vermont. In coming westward they have visited the Hoosac tunnel Niagara Falls the Colorado Wonderland as it is through New Mexico and over the Southern Pa cific to California remaining a week at Los Angeles seeing the grandeur of the Yosemite valley, not omit ting five days at Monterey and finally making the ocean voyage to Oregon. The party took quarters at the Merchants hotel last evening, and their names may all be found in the list published on the fourth page this morning. Prominent among the visitors in the ocean of Portlanders are Mr. Sidney Turner and wife of Norwich Conn and Mrs Mary H Curtis an aunt of General Miles who is accompanied by miss B W Bigelow. Mr Turner has long had interests in terests on the Pacific coast as he is president of the Norwich lock manufacturing company and also of the Turner Day & Woolworth manufacturing com pany of Louisville Ky. He has been in the city several days business engagements having called him here in advance of the remainder of the party. The excursionists remain in this city until Monday morning when they start for the Sound. On their return they will make a trip up the Willamette val ley to Salem returning again July 1 they go up the Columbia by steamer taking the cars from Bonneville and going home via Salt Lake City. During this excursion the party will travel 10 138 miles and will visit thirteen states and seven territories and the provinces of Ontario and British Columbia. They have seen the highlands and depths of this country when at Chambers New Mexico they were 10 015 feet above the level of the sea and at Links Springs Arizona 263 feet below the sea level. The tickets for the en tire trip are very reasonable including all travel, f baggage hote and restaurant bills are $6 0 The t ckets are a marvel of neat ess and compactness no long coupon tickets but a neat pocket book soon 3x14 inches in quantity to hold a ticket and made especially for the tourist. Their extension time for that h on a most delightful one without any accident to mar their h pin ss

THE OPERA OF DON PASQUALE.

Donizetti s sparkling opera Don Pasquale was rendered last night at the New Market theater for the first time in Portland by the De Vivo Italian Opera company. It was received by a very large and brilliant audience who testified their appreciation of the performance by hearty and discriminating applause. The set embraced Signor Villani as Dr Malatesto Signor Bologna as Don Pasquale Signor Baldazzi as Ernesto and Madame Godini as Norina. Malatesta was very well sung and bril liantly acted. Signor Villani is we less capable of meeting every demand on it. His Romanza Bella Siccome un Angel was heartily encored and won an unstinted Signor Bologna with his mellow and powerful basso voice sustained the part of the Old bachelor Don Pasquale. Signor Baldazzi was at his best with his magnificent tenor and at cer tain points in the ballad of the Rigoletto which was introduced in the opera by special r quest. He sang and acted the part of a lover Er nesto splendidly and his serenade at the fourth a t of the opera was loudly applauded. Madame Godini supported her self well in her original role. She was a charming Norina and sang with taste and ex pression. Her voice, a light soprano just fits the style of Donizetti's music. The gems of the opera were the duet of Act one Don Pasquale and Norina and Don Pasquale The Grand duet of after the mock marriage the conversation between the Old doctor Norina and Ernesto. Madame Bal contributed to the solo a fine song and did credit to Pasquale which was rapturously encored and the flower song from Faust a favorite of prairie and log cabin Madame Bologna and Miss Wa sworth for their good accompaniments.

The two last performances by this fine company will be given this afternoon and evening. At the matinee will be given the grand scene of the Gipsy and the duet with Maurice in the second act of Il Trovatore the Miserere and duet of Faust the Aria Cavatina of the Barber of Seville and the duet of Crispino e la Comare.

Parties who will be pleased to request the opera of Don Pasquale at the Madame Vilbani will contribute a solo between the acts

BRIEF MENTION

Last night at De Vivo's Opera Company

Races this afternoon at the Gentleman's driving Park

The Chimes of Normandy at the Tivoli this afternoon

Calvert's store in Canby City was robbed Wednes day night and the officers to the perpetrators has been found

William Penrose a lor shoreman aged 47 years died at St Vincent's hospital yesterday of phthisis pulmonalis

Sailing witness in the police court yesterday I can state what I saw but I can t state what I heard for I was not within hearing

Posts on the right between Lawler and Campbell to take place at the pavilion this evening, sold $6 to $8 50 in favor of Campbell

First base ball game of the season at City View park this afternoon Seattles vs Portland Steamer for the park leaves foot of Morrison street

The Thomas Steel on account of whose hilling at Eagle City appears among the disputables was no re lation to James Steel of this city mention of as his partner

Deputy U S Marshal S B Morse of Pendleton brought down from that place yesterday Charles Wood who has been held to answer for selling liquor to Indians

In the case of Mary O Oller against M T Culver the plaintiff yesterday obtained a judgment in the circuit court for $ 8 damages and the costs and disbursements

The marriage of Miss Jessie Marquam to Mr P McLaughlin announced to take place next Wednesday afternoon at the 24 instant at the residence of Judge Marquam

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ASSIGNMENTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF CREDITORS.—W P Cameron & Co of East Portland dealers in general merchandise have failed and yesterday made an assignment for the benefit of their creditors to H C Bentley Their estimated assets including the stock and fixtures of the store owned by them at Alkali Wasco county Oregon are $12 946 and their liabilities foot up to $15 500 90 The greater number of their creditors reside in Portland and San Francisco Items Their creditors in Portland and East Portland are as follows Joseph Buckhardt $400 Edward Shannon $163 Jacob Bros $4 70 Stover & Valentine $454 82 Neustadter Bros $567 71 Butts Parch s Co Rubber Manufacturing Company $261 16 Meyer Gear & Co $1360 81 Wake Brow $18 The assignee has taken possession of the store in East Portland and for the present it will be kept open Another assignment was also made yesterday that of Hay E Watkins proprietor of the Front street harness shop

POLICE COURT.—The dock at the police court had out few occupants yesterday James Carrick a chronic drunk was sent below for twenty days Johnny Mooney charged with stealing a child's wagon from Charles Cardinell had nothing to say Judge Morgan said he should be compelled to fill but there was no other place to send him to and after an experience of two years he had found that there was no other way of keeping the prisoner out of mischief Mooney was sent up for thirty days An Wah who borrowed a dime during and did not re turn it failed to appear His case was continued and a bench warrant issued The case of Grant Foster accused of larceny is still under consideration The case of C Pater accused of selling liquor without a license was continued John Green was tried on a charge of refusing to move on when ordered by a policeman The case was taken under advisement

ARRAIGNED UPON TWO INDICTMENTS.—O C Perry the bogus sewing machine agent who used that busi ness as an excuse to enter houses where he might ply his real vocation of a sneak thief and who was indicted by the grand jury on the charge of a grand larceny and a second indictment for burglary for he had left her home was arraigned yesterday before Justice Smith in the state circuit court and given until this morning to plead to the charge. A consultation was held with counsel for the defendant and the second indictment against Perry for a similar offense and he was again arraigned with the same result In his confinement in the county jail Perry is very patient and does not mingle at all with his fellow prisoners He also tly asserts his innocence and claims that he is the victim of some great unex plained mistaken. His trial will probably come on the first of next week

BADGE PRESENTED TO GENERAL MORROW.—The Garfield post G A R went to Vancouver last even ing to pay their respects to General Morrow They were received by the Ellsworth post of that place and escorted to the hall where General Morrow in behalf of the Garfield post presented General Morrow with a department commander s badge with the coat of arms of Washington territory carved on a solid gold shield attached. The visit and the pre sentation took General Morrow completely by sur prise but he responded to the cordial expression of respect and good will made by General Kapus in an eloquent speech after the presentation a supper was served by the Ellsworth post Songs and speeches followed until a late hour of which a fuller report is promised for to morrow s issue of The Oregonian

INQUEST FOR MISSING CREW.—Chief of Police Par rish has received a letter from Hanover Germany making inquiries concerning one Charles Stellman a sailor who left this ship and stayed here in 1878 or 1879 He was last heard from at Astoria in 1882 where he had been employed in fishing His parents are well to do and very anxious about their son, and are not able to find out the possibility that he has ceased to be Little is said to be feared that Stell man has perished in the breakers at the bar of the Columbia Chief Parrish has also received a letter from Chief Crowley of San Francisco making in quiries concerning Mrs Ann Mills who lived here about two years ago and followed the occupation of nurse Any one knowing he whereabouts of either of these parties will please communicate with Chief Parrish

MURDER A LAST CHANCE FOR LIFE.—John W Mur ray convicted of the murder of his brother in law Alfred Yonkie and once sentenced to be hanged is now anxiously awaiting the decision of the supreme court upon the appeal which has been made for a new trial There will be quite a delay in the matter as the supreme court is now in session and owing to the large amount of other business which will take precedence the case cannot come up at the bar not un til the first Monday in October Murray is in the penitentiary Objections are in no small task and counts clerk Sewall has as yet been unable to finish it Yesterday in the state circuit court Judge Smith issued an order allowing the clerk ten days further time to finish and transmit the transcript to the su preme court.

GOOD RIDDANCE.—The gang of bunko men who have been operating here for several days has left for fresh fields They were ordered to leave by Chief of Police Parrish and stayed not on the order of their going but went The joint on First street was stripped of the inside owners and cheap fixtures and vacated. It is to be hoped we shall see them no more One of the gang who claimed that his wife was sick had an extension of time granted him with orders to report at the police office every day Part of the gang left for the Sound and others for The Dalles They are young men who leave their mark wherever they go and news of their doings may be looked for soon

PROLIFIC CHERRY TREE.—T F Burns of Heming ton s Landing Clarke county W T, writes to The Oregonian that he thinks he has the largest and most productive cherry tree in the United States It is of the Black Tartarian variety and measures twenty two inches in diameter at the base It has this year produced about 1 700 pounds of fruit The Oregonian forces can bear testimony to the luscious ness of the cherries a large box of which accompa nied the letter. It will now be in order for the own ers of other big cherry trees to come to the front and Mr Burns need not be surprised if his record is beaten for the man who tells the first story usually no show in Oregon

DROP LETTERS REQUIRE A TWO-CENT STAMP.—Letter carriers complain that many persons are in the habit of mailing letters for parties residing in the city with a one-cent stamp on them All should know that the postage on drop letters is two cents A few days since one car for found over 100 letters mailed by the same person each with a one-cent stamp affixed This was evidently done in cold blood with a view or saving the other cent on each letter, as such letters are sent to the dead letter office, and each carrier is obliged to collect the odd cent from the party receiving the letter which is a very tiresome job

HOWARD SHELL ON TRIAL.—The third day of the trial of the case of the State of Oregon vs F A Howard did not reach any definite result The prin cipal witness for the state was Howard's wife who was hired by his wife to run her hotel He was sub jected to a rigid cross examination which elicited very little In reply to a question as to what became of the money he said You not know but I have no doubt. The prosecuting attorney laughingly remarked that he had had a suspicious idea When court adjourned at 7 o clock the testimony was all in and the argument to the jury was begun

THE FOURTH AT MEDFORD.—The glorious Fourth will be celebrated by the citizens of Rogue River val ley and vicinity by a grand barbecue and basket din ner at Medford Music for the occasion will be fur nished by the Medford brass band and games of various kinds will form a feature of the exercises Arrangements have been made with the Oregon and California Railroad company to carry passengers from Woodville Gold Hill Phoenix and Ashland to the celebration at reduced rates The exercises of the day will close with a grand ball in Byars & Co s building at which the Empire hotel

TWO HORSE THIEVES GOING TO SALEM.—George Young and Ira Shackelford two horse thieves from Umatilla county were brought to this city yesterday by Deputy Sheriff J B Addy, of Pendleton en route to the penitentiary at Salem Young pleaded guilty when arrested, and was sent up for 18 months Shackelford stood his trial and was sentenced to three years imprisonment Both prisoners were lodged last night in the city jail, and will be taken to Salem this morning

The Steel Horse

Bicycle and skating races on Sunday between Mor rill, Manz and several riders of the Oregon Bicycle club at W Lazarte park Bicycling, skating and dancing the entire day Admission to all 50 cents, ladies free.

STATE UNIVERSITY

Exercises of the Graduating Class—A Well Bal anced Programme—Presentation of Diplo mas—Regents' Meeting Etc

EUGENE June 20

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

DEEDS

R B Wilson and wife to Charles Graham lot 6 block 265, City; addition April 18 $300

Gideon Tibbetts and wife to Obed Green all of fractional block 36 Tibbetts addition to East Port land January 21 $1

A A Smithson and wife to Anna A Richardson the west half of lots 9 and 10 in block 35 Albina home stead May 16 $250

R P Earhart and wife to A H Breyman lots 1 2 3 and 4 of block 64 Holladay s addition to East P ort and June 10 $ 600

John H Frederick to Louis A Mayers lot 8 block 18 Albina May 21 $350

A B Hanley to Ellis C Brown half interest in ten acre lo Section 34 T 1 N R 2 E June 11 $65 30

CRICKET.—A match game of cricket will be played this afternoon on the grounds at Bishop Scott gram mar school between a team selected from the vari ous railroad offices with Mr Readman as captain and one selected from the other members of the club with Mr Wilson as captain The railroad eleven is as follows Readman Greene Smith Drey Thompson Se ous Young Andrews Paxton Wood Mile s The nucleus of the opposing eleven are Rose Molson Gilmer Creighton Burne Ashley Crocker Dubinson McDonnell Harris Manton

GOOD NEWS FOR THE DAY

[Special]—Immense bargains are offered in silk talmas and wraps $8 and $10 They are worth at double that amount Also a few of those linen suits at $3 50 can be found only at the Popular Store Mozart's Cloak and Silk House 70 Morrison street

Mohair plushes	75c	Cartwheel hats	50c
Spanish silk lace	50c	Lace ties	25c
Buttonnette	25c	Toilet jackets	75c

ANOTHER MERCHANT TAILOR TUMBLED DOWN.—George O Sears of 24 Sansome street San Francisco with the pap on in his hand W J Quinn will offer the largest stock of merchant tailoring goods as a se ssion of 1 per cent on all suitings to make room for the large fall stock They are the finest that have ever been offered to the people of Oregon of this line Both light weight suitings Lustian serges trousers, &c, have never been offered to the people before Call and see for yourselves, if 28 Stark s reet

It has been quietly whispered but substant iated that Dr Sill proprietor of the Medical Electric In stitute on Third street has just rebuilded and enlarged his establishment and that a pavilion are perfect re sorts of comfort In addition to his Magnetic and Electric iron ment he has just received a large ap paratus for generating Electrical Oxygen Gas His cures are wonderful and his visitors are legion

BUSINESS ITEMS.

HURNETT & LOCKMAN'S

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Not only people all over Portland but strangers who are visiting the city pronounce the Hurnett building the most attractive in the city Its elegant and durable finish (dark and gloss) its convenient and perfect system of ventilation

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At Vincent Swan and carriage shop 33-5 Salmon st

If anybody will save you use Dr Isaac Thompson s Eye Water Druggists sell it 25 cents

Advice to Mothers.

Mrs Winslow s Soothing Syrup should always be used for children teething It soothes the child soft ens the gums allays all pain cures wind colic and is the best remedy for diarrhœa Sold by druggists

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MILITARY AND PERSONAL

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General O O Howard when last heard from was at Constantinople

The engagement is announced of Lieut J S Parke Jr of Vancouver to Miss Nettie Brooke daughter of Lloyd Brooke Esq of Portland

The 14th Infantry Col L O Hunt commanding will leave Sidney and other points about the 7th inst and should arrive here about the 15th or 16th of July

On Monday evening Miss Capt Haughey gave an interesting party for the young ladies and gentlemen of the garrison a farewell party which was pleasant and successful

Capt E B Babbitt son of Major I S Babbitt who was appointed to the military academy from the 6th district of Oregon has been assigned as 2d Lieutenant to one of the regiments

Lieut C A Williams R Q M Twenty first in fantry with a detachment of eight men left on Monday by rail for Baker City Nebraska to assume command of the arrival of his regiment Lieut Williams was accompanied by his family as well as Mrs Lieut Bourke and child and Mrs Fellows all of whom have a friend our best wishes for prosperity in their new home

The many common council candidates of Van couver have adopted the following resolutions one hundred and fifty votes are to be cast for any candidate who will allow Barnet river which will be crossed four times These small br idges are now in pro cess of construction

The Newark Daily Advertiser cred ts the Trenton Times with the rather unique quaint remark that New Jersey s capital city has a city directory in so great a hurry it needs to watch carefully its steps taken in foreign countries for the promotion of that indus try and to see that obstacles of good sense are not put in the way of its progress The case of the Eng lish government in regard to the establishment of schools of doc native art for the training of pot tery decorators merits the serious attention of pot ters here

Just Received.

Under special contract direct and fresh from the fabrick a large stock of Steinway and McCammon pianos Whitney & Howes and Kimball organs We no longer turn the lowest Call and look through our stock or send for catalogue before buying J M Robbins & Son 120 First Port and Oregon

Explained

In his speech daily from the interior of eden to m n Oregon and Washington Territories prior to his nomination for Governor Mr Squire said he would take orders for the following articles and would deliver them at the lowest possible rates

Lumber Shingles Lath Sash Doors and Blinds Mouldings Brackets Turning Scroll Work Newels Balusters Hand Rails Posts Mantels Grates Tiles Hearths Fire and Oil Stoves Refrigerators Ice Chests Water Coolers Filters Lawn Mowers Hose Reels Sprinklers Screen Doors Window Screens Step Ladders Clothes Reels Clothes Wringers Washing Machines Carpet Sweepers Children s Carriages Baby Jumpers Velocipedes Express Wagons Rocking Horses Children s Chairs Tables Settees Bureaus Bedsteads Mattresses Spring Beds Feather Beds Pillows Bolsters Comforters Blankets Sheets Pillow Cases Counterpanes Lounges Easy Chairs Rocking Chairs Parlor Suits Bed Room Suits Dining Room Suits Kitchen Furniture Tinware Woodenware Glassware Crockery Stoves Ranges Heaters Carpets Oil Cloths Linoleums Mattings Rugs Mats Curtains Curtain Poles Cornices Window Shades Pictures Picture Frames Looking Glasses Clocks Bronzes Vases Statuettes Ornaments Silverware Cutlery Fishing Tackle Guns Rifles Pistols Ammunition Sporting Goods Bicycles Tricycles Safeties Velocipedes Boys Velocipedes Boys Bicycles Boys Tricycles Boys

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Name.	Time.	Direction.	Wind. Force.	Rain fall.	State of Weather.
Portland	5 P. M.	NW	10	.00	Clear
Walla Walla	5 P. M.	W	8	.00	Clear
Lewiston	5 P. M.	W	8	.00	Clear
Umatilla	5 P. M.	Calm	0	.00	Clear
Dalles	5 P. M.	W	8	.00	Clear
Boise City	5 P. M.	NW	10	.00	Clear
Shoshone	5 P. M.	NE	7	.00	Fair

Temperature, 5 P. M.: max. 76.

CHINESE IN THE EAST.

Dispatches as the following places:

Chicago, 18; Jackson, 1; Saginaw, 1; Detroit, 1; Cincinnati, 1; Columbus, 1; Springfield, 1; Toledo, 1; Cleveland, 1; Pittsburgh, 1; Harrisburg, 1; Philadelphia, 1; Baltimore, 1; Washington, 1; Wilmington, 1; Boston, 1; Providence, 1; Hartford, 1; New Haven, 1; New York, 1; Albany, 1; Buffalo, 1; Rochester, 1; Syracuse, 1; Utica, 1; Troy, 1; Oswego, 1; Rome, 1; Auburn, 1; Elmira, 1; Binghamton, 1; Scranton, 1; Wilkesbarre, 1; Reading, 1; Lancaster, 1; Harrisburg, 1; Pittsburgh, 1; Allegheny, 1; Wheeling, 1; Parkersburg, 1; Cincinnati, 1; Columbus, 1; Springfield, 1; Toledo, 1; Cleveland, 1; Detroit, 1; Saginaw, 1; Jackson, 1; Chicago, 18.

Total, 100.

ARRIVAL OF EXCURSIONISTS.

By yesterday's steamer there arrived in this city the largest number of eastern people who have ever yet visited Oregon in any one party. The company is known as the Rip-zond excursion party, and they started from Boston May 1st, for a trip which is to last seventy-three days. There are about sixty persons in the party, under the guidance of Luther L. Holden of Boston and O. H. Bagley of St. Johnsbury, Vermont. In coming westward they have visited the Hoosac tunnel, Niagara Falls, the Colorado Wonderland; gone through New Mexico and over the Southern Pacific to California; remained a week at Los Angeles, and seen the grandeur of the Yosemite valley, sojourning five days at Monterey, and finally making the ocean voyage to Oregon. The party took quarters at the Merchants' hotel last evening, and their names may all be found in the list published on the fourth page this morning. Prominent among the visitors in the eyes of Portlanders are Mr. Sidney Turner and wife of Norwich, Conn., and Mrs. Mary S. Curtis, an aunt of General Miles, who is accompanied by him and E. W. Hyde. Mr. Turner has long had business interests on the Pacific coast, as he is president of the Norwich lock manufacturing company, and also of the Turner, Hyde & Woolworth manufacturing company, of Louisville, Ky. He has been in the city several days, business engagements having called him here in advance of the remainder of the party. The excursion is in charge of a man in his own employ, Mr. Holden, who they start for the Sound. On their return they will make a trip up the Willamette valley to Salem, commencing again at July 1 they go up the Columbia by steamer, taking the cars at Bonneville and going home via Salt Lake City. During this excursion the party will travel 10,146 miles and will visit thirteen states and seven territories, and the provinces of On ario and British Columbia. They have seen the highlights and depths of the country, too. While in Cumbres, New Mex co, they were 10,015 feet above the level of the sea, and at Parks' Springs, Arizona, 203 feet below the sea level. The tickets for the entire trip above described, including all transfers of baggage, hotel and restaurant bills, are $650. The tickets are a marvel of neatness and compactness; no one coupon tickets, but a neat pocket book about 3x4½ inches, elegantly bound in morocco and made especially for the tourist. Their excursion thus far has been a most delightful one, without any accident to mar their happiness.

THE OPERA OF DON PASQUALE.

Donizetti's sparkling opera "Don Pasquale" was rendered last night at the New Market theater for the first time in Portland by the De Vivo Italian Opera company. It was received by a very large and brilliant audience, who testified their appreciation of the performance by hearty and discriminating applause. The cast embraced Signor Villani as Dr. Malatesta, Signor Bologna as Don Pasquale, Signor Baldassa as Ernesto, and Madame Godini as Norina. Malatesta was very well sung, and brilliantly acted. Signor Villani's voice was capable of meeting every demand upon it. His Romanza "Bella Siccome un Angelo" was finely sung and much applauded. Signor Bologna, with his mellow and powerful bass voice, sang and acted the part of the old bachelor "Don Pasquale." Signor Baldassa was at his best with his magnificent tenor, and electrified the audience with the ballad of the Riquletto, which was introduced in the opera by special request. He sang and acted the part of a lover of Ernesto splendidly, and his serenade in the fourth act "Come a Gentile," was loudly applauded. Madame Godini surprised us with her spirited acting. She was by charming Norina, and sang with taste and expression. Her voice, a light soprano, just fits the part of Don Pasquale's wife, and from a review of the opera won't the duet of Norina and Don Pasquale, the duet of Malatesta and Don Pasquale. The grand quartet, after the mock marriage, the serenade of Ernesto, and the final duet of Norina and Ernesto. Madame Villani contributed two solos, "I Love You," by Persiani, which was rapturously encored, and "Home Sweet Home," by Bishop. A word of praise must be given to Madame Bologna and Miss Wade-worth for their good accompaniments.

The two last performances by this fine company will be given this afternoon and evening. At the matinee will be given the grand scenes of the Gipsy and the duet with Biscrico in the second act of Il Trovatore, the grand song and duet of Faust, the Aria of Figaro of the Barber of Seville and the duet of Crispino e la Comare.

To-night will be repeated by request the opera of Don Pasquale, and Madame Villani will contribute a solo between the acts.

BRIEF MENTION.

Last night at DeVivo's Opera Company.

Operatic matinee this afternoon at the New Market.

Races this afternoon at the Gentleman's driving park.

The "Chimes of Normandy" at the Tivoli this afternoon.

Calvert's store at Oregon City was robbed Wednesday night and no clue to the perpetrators has been found.

William Penrose, a longshoreman, aged 37 years, died at St. Vincent's hospital yesterday of phthisis pulmonalis.

Said witness in the police court yesterday: I can state what I saw, but I can't state what I heard, for I heard nothing."

Pools on the fight between Lawler and Campbell, to take place at the pavilion this evening, sold $5 to $6 to favor of Campbell.

First base ball game of the season at City View park this afternoon, Seattles vs. Portland. Steamer for the park leaves foot of Morrison street.

The Thomas Sisel, an account of whose killing at Eagle City appeared among the telegrams, was cleared of complicity in the murder of his brother-in-law, Alfred Yonan, and once sentenced to be hanged, is now anxiously awaiting the decision of the supreme court upon the appeal which he has made for a new trial. There will be quite a delay in the matter, as the supreme court is not now in session and owing to a large amount of other business which will take precedence, the case cannot come up at the beginning of the January term. The waiting out of the transcript of all the testimony, objections, e c., is no small task, and County clerk Sewall has not yet been unable to finish it. Yesterday it. the state circuit court Judge Smith issued an order allowing the clerk ten days further time to finish and transmit the transcript to the supreme court.

Good Riddance.—The gang of bunko men who have been operating here for several days has left for fresh fields. They were ordered to leave by Chief of Police Parrish, and stayed not on the order of their going, but went. The joint on First street was stripped of the entire jewelry and china ornament and is closed up. It is to be hoped we shall see them no more. One of the gang, who claimed that his wife was a co, had an extension of time granted him, with orders to report at the police office every day. Part of the gang left for the Sound, and others for The Dalles. They are young men who leave their mark wherever they go, and news of their doings may be looked for soon.

Pacific Christian Tabe.—T. F. Burns of Hamilton's Landing, Clarke county, W. T., writes to The Oregonian that he thinks he has the largest and most prod uctive cherry tree in the United States. It is of the Black Tartarian variety, and measures twenty-two inches in diameter at the base. It has this year produced about 1,700 pounds of fruit. The Oregonian's forte can bear testimony to the luscious ness of the cherries, a large box of which accompanied the letter. It will now be in order for the owners of other big cherry trees to come to the front, and Mr. Burns need not be surprised if his record is beaten, for t the man who sells the first sixty stands no show in Oregon."

Dead Letters Require a Two-cent Stamp.—Letter carriers complain that many persons are in the habit of mailing letters for parties residing in the city with a one-cent stamp on them. All should know that the postage on drop letters is two cents. A few days since one carr ier found over 100 letters, each with a one-cent stamp on them, and when opened by the same person, each with a one-cent stamp affixed. This was evidently done in cold blood with a view of saving the other cent on each letter, as such letters are set aside to the dead letter office, and the carrier is obliged to collect the odd cent from the party receiving the letter, which is a very thankless job.

Howard Still on Trial.—The third day of the trial of the case of the State of Oregon vs. F. S. Howard did not reach any definite result. The prosecuting witness took the stand to prove that he was hired by his wife to run for hotel. He was subjected to a rigid cross-examination, which elicited very little. In reply to a question as to what became of the money, he said: "I do not know, but I have some suspicions." The prosecuting attorney laughingly remarked that he had his suspicions also. When court adjourned at 6 o'clock the testimony was all in and the argument to the jury was begun.

The Fourth at Medford.—The glorious Fourth will be celebrated by the citizens of Rogue River valley and vicinity by a grand barbecue and basket dinner at Medford. Music for the occasion will be furnished by the Ashland brass band, and games of various kinds will form a feature of the exercises. Arrangements have been made with the Oregon and California Railroad Company to carry passengers to and from Woodville, Gold Hill, Phœnix and Ashland to the celebration at reduced rates. The exercises of the day will close with a grand ball in Eyers & Co.'s new hall, a supper at the Empire hotel.

Two Bogus Thieves Going to Salem.—George Young and Ike Shaokelford, two horse thieves from Umatilla county, were brought to this city yesterday by Deputy Sheriff J. B. Eddy, of Pendleton, en route to the penitentiary at Salem. Young pleaded guilty when arrested, and was sent up for 18 months, but Shackelford stood his trial, and was sentenced to three years imprisonment. Both prisoners were lodged last night in the city jail, and will be taken to Salem this morning.

The Steel Horse.

Bicycle and skating race on Sunday between Morrill, Manic and several riders of the Oregon Bicycle club at Willamette park. Bicycling, skating and dancing the entire day. Admission to all 50 cents; ladies free.

STATE UNIVERSITY.

Exercises of the Graduating Class—A Well Rendered Programme—Presentation of Diplomas—Regents' Meeting—Etc.

EUGENE, June 20.

To the Editor of the Oregonian:

Yesterday the exercises of the graduating class were held in the assembly room of the college building before a large and happy audience—there being over 300 persons present in the forenoon and over 1000 in the afternoon.

The exercises consisted of two essays and a valedictory and ten orations, interspersed with vocal and instrumental music, as per the following programme:

Song, "I am King of the Land and the Sea"—Choral Society.

Prayer by Rev. Octavious Parker.

Music, "Printemp de Amour Mazurka"—Miss Ada Page.

Essay, "The Study of the English"—Miss Emma A. Bond.

Oration, "The Drama of Human Progress"—Benj. B. Beckman.

Oration, "Reaping Fir on"—William W. Cardwell.

Oration, "The Nationization of Land"—Robert C. Miller.

Violin Solo with Piano Accompaniment, "Poet and Peasant"—Mr. E. Prindle and Miss Mary Pratt.

Oration, "The Laborer—A Social Study"—Walter T. Eakin.

Oration, "The Influence of Climate on Civilization"—Jefferson L. Parker.

Oration, "The Spirit of Reform"—George W. Hill.

Song, "When the Swallows Come Again"—Miss Nettie McClintock.

AFTERNOON.

Song, "Golden Years are Passing By"—Choral society.

Oration, "The Force of Personality"—James M. Nevill.

Oration, "Superstition and Law"—Casper W. Shipples.

Oration, "Enthusiasm"—William C. Taylor.

Music, "Solitude"—Miss Calla Goldsmith.

Oration, "The Esthetic Element in American Civilization"—Joseph E. Whitney.

Essay and valedictory, "The Mercenary Element in National Character"—Miss Bettie E. Shaw.

Song, "As Dawn in the Sunless Retreats"—Choral society.

Conferring degrees.

Song, "El Mariborello"—Miss Mary Fest.

The orators all did fairly well; and Messrs. Beckman, Cardwell and Taylor won honors in the order in which they spoke; certainly did more than well—they distinguished themselves. The essay by Miss Bond was rather a dreary attack upon the study of the English and Greek, and a hearty commendation of that of English. Miss Shaw dissected the "mercenary element of our national character with a skillful hand; and closed with a touching farewell to her school and classmates, and the faculty.

The diplomas were then presented by President Johnson with a few earnest remarks that showed that he was about to launch on the world, and closed with the hope that they would ever sustain purity in their lives and the unselfish motto they had adopted for their graduation—"*Non Nobis Solmus.*" The regents held their annual meeting during the day and night, and transacted harmoniously considerable business. Prof. Hawthorne, of the Agricultural college at Corvallis and a graduate of Randolph-Macon college, Virginia, was invited to the chair of English literature and ethics, in place of Prof. Lambert, resigned; and Mr. Benj. B. Beckman, one of the present graduates, was elected tutor.

A school of law was established at Portland and Prof. Richard H. Thornton, of Williamsport, Pa., was elected professor of the same, with authority to procure such aid as he might desire.

This has been a very pleasant and prosperous year for the university, and the throb of its pulse is beginning to be felt all over the state. D.

MILITARY AND PERSONAL.

Vancouver Independent.

General O. O. Howard when last heard from was at Constantinople.

The engagement is announced of Lieut. J. S. Parke, Jr., 21st Infantry, to Miss Nettie Brooke, daughter of Lloyd Brooke, Esq., of Portland.

The 14th Infantry, Col. Geo. Hunt commanding, will leave Sidney and other posts about the 15th inst., and should arrive here about the 20th or 30th proximo.

On Monday evening Mrs. Capt. Haughey gave an entertainment for the young ladies and gentlemen of the garrison, a farewell party, which was pleasant and successful.

Cadet E. B. Babbitt, son of Major L. S. Babbitt, has been appointed to the military academy from this territory, graduated this week and will be assigned as 2d lieutenant to one of the regiments.

Lieut. C. A. Williams, R. Q. M. Twenty-first infantry, with a detachment of eight men, left on Monday last for Sidney, Nebraska, to take charge of the fort previous to the arrival of his regiment. Lieut. Williams was accompanied by his family, and Mrs. Lieut. Kennan, to all of whom we extend our best wishes for prosperity in their new home.

The mayor, common council and citizens of Vancouver have adopted the following resolutions complimentary to the officers and soldiers of the Twenty-first infantry, who are about to leave for their new station in Nebraska:

Resolved, By the citizens of Vancouver, that they deeply regret the necessity which causes its removal from this place, thereby taking from our midst the families and the other members of the command, with whom the relations of our citizens have been most cordial and pleasant and full of kindness.

Resolved, That our best wishes attend them in their new field of duty, and that we heartily commend them to the people of the country to which they go as in every way worthy of confidence and esteem.

DOINGS OF A FEW PROHIBITIONISTS.

The state prohibition home protection convention met in the court house at Corvallis, June 19, Green B. Smith presiding, J. E. Houston and E. N. Harding secretaries. Resolutions denouncing the whiskey traffic and the Corvallis saloons were passed. Licensing the traffic was declared morally wrong, and all who declared for this independent action signed a declaration to have no connection with the republican and democratic parties, because both favor license and do not put a prohibition plank in their national platforms. The *Home Guard* having announced for the third party, was endorsed. Major Bruce and Z. T. Wright declining nomination as presidential electors, Samuel Culver, F. W. Owen, G. W. Dimick and J. G. Medford were nominated, and the latter two elected. The national convention meets at Pittsburg, Pa., July 23. A state central committee of one from each county was appointed, and a four congressional district the meeting adjourned with three cheers for the party.

CHURCH NOTICES.

The Calvary camp meeting begins next Thursday, June 26th, and lasts over two Sabbaths.

Services at the M. E. church, Hall and Sixth, at 11 A. M. by the Rev. T. L. Sails. No evening service.

North Portland M. E. Mission, Baker's hall, corner Mead and Hood streets—Sunday school 2 P. M. Preaching service 7:30 P. M. Preaching 3 P. M. by Rev. G. M. Peirce.

Rev. G. J. Burchatt, of McMinnville, will without fail preach at the East Portland Baptist church next Sunday, June 22, at 10:30 A. M. Evening service will be announced at the morning service.

United Presbyterian church, Durand music hall, corner First and Clay streets—Rev. Wm. McStevens, pastor. Services at 11 A. M. Sabbath school at 12:30 P. M. Evening services omitted.

Taylor Street M. E church—Preaching at 11 A. M. by the Rev. O. O. Stratton, D. D. W. C. T. U. service at 7:45 P. M. Address by Mrs. Ellen J. Foster. The public is cordially invited to the services.

Scandinavian Lutheran—Service by Rev. H. Eushover Phuntion's music store, First street, between Stark and Washington, at 7:30 P. M. and in East Portland in Fredikson's church at 11 A. M.

First Presbyterian church, corner of Third and Washington streets—A. L. Lindsley, pastor. Morning service will be conducted by Rev. D. J. Laughlin. The evening service will be announced in the morning.

Calvary Presbyterian church, corner of Third and Clay streets—Pastor, Rev. E. V. Lee. Preaching at 11 A. M. and 7:45 P. M. Sabbath school at 12:30 o'clock. Praise service Sunday evening at 6:45 All are cordially invited.

A. M. E. Zion Church, corner Main and Eleventh streets—Pastor, T. C. F. B. Reed. D. A., presiding. Sunday services 10:55 A. M. and 7:45 P. M. Sunday school 2 P. M. Wednesday night prayer meeting. Strangers and residents cordially invited at each service.

Plymouth Congregational church, corner Fourteenth and Everett streets—Services at 11 A. M. and 7:45 P. M., conducted by the acting pastor, Rev. George H. Lee. Sabbath school at close of morning service. Gentle invitation to all the services extended to the public.

Presbyterian Mission, Albina—Rev. W. O. Forbes, pastor. Regular services at 11 A. M. in Albina hall, and at 7:30 P. M. in Union hall. This change will make the evening service much more pleasant. A Sunday school will be organized in Multnomah at 9:30 A. M.

Christadelphians—Meeting over Prentice's music store, on First between Stark and Washington streets, Room No. 8. Lecture at 11 A. M. by A. Sinnhalli. Subject, "The Mystery of the Gospel Unknown till Revealed." Preaching substituted by Christendom for the Gospel." Free. No collection.

First Baptist church, corner Fourth and Alder streets—Rev. J. Q. A. Henry, pastor. At 11 A. M. and 7:45 P. M. Morning subject, "The Singular Stone." Evening, "The Notable Nail." Free pews and a most cordial welcome for all who come. Strangers and sojourners in the city invited.

North Portland Presbyterian Mission — Pastor, Rev. D. J. Laughlin. Sunday school service at the Conchelagnine house on G street, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth, at 2:30 P. M. Preaching service at Waters's hall, on the corner of Sixteenth and T streets, at 7:30 P. M. All are cordially invited.

Unitarian church—T. L. Eliot, minister. Services at 11 A. M. Theme of the sermon, "The Law of Judgment." Sunday school at 12:30; afternoon mission Sunday school at 3 o'clock in South Portland. The evening service is omitted, to take part in the union temperance meeting at the Taylor street church.

The Church of Sea and Land, corner of Third and D streets—Chaplain Stubbs, pastor. Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 12:30; for 45 minutes. Week day services at 7:30 P. M. Meeting of Bethel Home Lodge, Tuesday, prophetic study; Thursday, prayer meeting; Friday, Services of the W. C. T. U.

First Congregational church, corner Second and Jefferson streets—Services to morrow at 11 A. M. Preaching by the pastor, Dr. Frederic R. Marvin. Subject, "The Spirit of Helpfulness." In the evening the church will be closed for a union temperance service, to be held in the Methodist church, corner of Taylor and Third Streets. Speaking by Mrs. Foster, of Massachusetts. Sunday school and junior at 9:30 A. M. Services at 12:30 P. M.

Union Services—Sunday evening Mrs. J. H. Foster of Clinton, Iowa, will rout by the National W. C. T. U. will deliver an address in the Methodist church, first Sunday following congregations uniting: Rev. Dr. Lindsley First Presbyterian; Dr. Marvin, Congregational; Rev. T. L. Eliot, Hall street; Rev. Mr. Sharp, Christian church. Mrs. Foster will speak at 3 o'clock P. M. at the same place, addressing herself specially to the young people.

Young Men's Christian Association rooms, First street, between Alder and Washington—Services will be held Sunday evening every Sunday—Morning from 9:30 to 10 o'clock. A testimony meeting will be held Sunday afternoon at 3:15, conducted by Prof. E. K. Warren, presided by a praise service led by William Wadhams. Wednesday evening, a special service for young men at 8 o'clock. Daily prayer meeting held from 12:15 to 12:45. Reading rooms open from 9:30 A. M. to 9:30 P. M. daily; Sunday from 9 to 11 A. M. and 2 to 6 P. M. Young men and strangers are cordially invited.

AMUSEMENTS.

Large Opera Company Coming.—A recent issue of the New York *Mirror* says: "The Orpheus and Eurydice opera company will cross the continent to Portland, Or., by the Northern Pacific road. Alfred Houvior, the business manager, arranged the contracts. It is the first large company to make the trip on the road, and it will test the theatrical value of the territory traversed. Between fifty and sixty persons, besides a car load of scenery, will be transported. The trip will be undertaken at the close of the Winnipeg engagement, on June 21. Portland will be reached on the 30th. The San Francisco engagement will open on July 14 and last four weeks."

The Tivoli.—"The Mascotte" was given last night to a crowded house. It will be repeated tonight and to-morrow night. This afternoon the "Chimes of Normandy." Next Monday "The Grand Duchesse."

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

DEEDS.

E. B. Wilson and wife to Charles Graham; lot 8, block 65, Ons ota addition; April 19; $800.

Gideon Tit bets and wife to Obed Green; all of fractional block 50, Tibbetts's addition to East Portland, January 15; $1000.

A. A. Smith on and wife to Anna A Richardson; the west half of lots 9 and 11 in block 25, Albina homestead, May 15; $200.

Joseph Buchtel and wife to A. H Breyman; lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 of block 41, Holladay's addition to East Portland, June 12; $2000.

John M. Poindexter to Louis K. Mayers; lot 8, block 18, Albina, May 21; $350.

A. B. Manley to Eliza C. Brown; half interest in ten acres in Section 31, T. 1 N., R 2 E., June 11. $637.50.

Cricket.—A match game of cricket will be played this afternoon on the grounds at Bishop Scott grammar school be ween a team selected from the various railroad clubs, with Mr. Readman as capta in, and one selected from the other members of the club with Mr. Ellis as captain. The railroad eleven is as follows: Rose man, Greame, Smith, Dray, Thompson, Stevens, Young, Andrews, Panton, Wood, Mitchell. The members of the opposing eleven are as follows: Rose man, Molson, Gilman, Creighton, Bourne, Andrew, Crocker, Dobbi son, McDonnell, Harris, Manton.

GOOD NEWS FOR THE DAY.

Special,—Immense bargains are offered in silk remnants and crops, $8 and $10. They are worth double that amount. Also a few of those linen suits at $3 50 can be found only at "the Popular Store," Mosher's Cloa and Suit House, 70 Morrison street.

Mobair ulsters.....75c Gartwheel hats.....50c
Spanish silk l ce.....20c Lace ties.....75c
Sunbonnets.....25c Toilet jackets.....75c

Another 3 sergeant Taylor Tunneled Down.—George C. Bowe went down Stark street yesterday with the pepp r in his hand. W. J. Quinn will offer the largest stock of merchant tailoring goods at a reduction of 25 per cent on all suitings, to make room for the large fall stock. They a e the finest that have ever been offered to the people of Oregon, of fine English Bight weight suitings, long and serge, trousers, that have ever been offered to the people before Call and see for yourselves, at 28 Stark street.

It has been quietly whispered but *substantiated* that Dr. Sill, proprietor of the Medical Electric Institute on Th rd street, has just rebuilt and enlarged his office to g, and that his parlors are perfect pictures of comf t. In addition to his Magnetic and Electric treat ent he has just received a large supply of Electrized Oxygen Gas. He claims wonderful for it. We greet you success.

Railroad Tickets.

Tickets to Eastern points via the Northern Pacific and Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railroad Lines, can only be obtained from A. L. Mor well, the general agent, Ash street wharf. Tickets from regular coupon ticket offices on this coast.

NEWS OF THE NORTHWEST.

Washington Territory.

Vancouver will have no Fourth of July celebration this year.

There will be a reunion of the Washington territory Pioneer association at Olympia on Jul. 8.

The mountains in the upper part of Kitti as county are alive with prospectors in search of quartz mines.

Hon. F. H. Bloomfield of Vancouver has accepted an invitation to deliver an oration on the Fourth of July at Oregon City.

The grand jurors for Columbia county have found two true bills. The court will probably adjourn this week, as there is but little business on hand.

Coal has been discovered on the Secrist and Stegert places in Clarke county, below Vancouver, and some prospecting will be pushed it is thought by good judges.

Parties owning vacant houses in Walla Walla complain bitterly against young hoodlums who congregate on the streets at night for the purpose of breaking window lights.

A Goldendale exchange says: The crop prospects are not so good as might be desired, but Klickitat crops sometimes turn out surprisingly well for the grumbs a few weeks before harvest.

Berry Evans of Merengo, who was charged with burning his barn some time last fall, had his trial in Dayton yesterday, and the jury, after being out a short time, returned a verdict of not guilty.

Thursday afternoon and night Walla Walla and vicinity was visited by a fine rain storm. The rain came down in a perfect torrent, while the lightning illuminated the city in fine shape.

Vancouver *Register*: Miss Ella Stoughton who left this city about three years ago for a sea voyage in the ship Herbert Black, Captain Frost, returned last week, and is greeted by many friends.

Colfax *Gazette*: At M. Weller's cane's near Washtucna springs, a man whose name could not be learned, was killed by a falling bucket last Monday. The well was about seventy feet deep and the bucket full of flour fell nearly the entire distance, striking the unfortunate man beneath its weight.

Judge Wingard complimented the Columbia county grand jury very highly when they were discharged upon the grounds of efficient manner in which they had discharged their duties, saving the county expense and the court trouble. They were in session but two days, and found only two true bills.

A force of twenty men are employed finishing the last few miles of grade over the Snoqualmie Pass road from Ellensburg to the Sound. Wagons can go within a few miles of the summit on either side, where passengers can be transferred on horseback. Last week George F. Smith drove 100 beef cattle over the route to Seattle.

Gold and Silver *Gazette*: Orders have been issued to begin the erection of the Catholic church on their four lots in the extreme western edge of town. It is to be 24x30 feet with a 12x16 foot wing. The Seventh Day Adventists have secured six eodlots south of the residence of Dr. Lee, four of six upon which they propose to build a house of worship as soon as they can get around to it.

Western Oregon.

Corvallis *Gazette*: The ravages of the destroying cut worm is reported from different portions of the state as doing much damage to late sown grain and garden. Hooton county seems to be favored in this respect, since no reports of this nature have reached us.

A little boy about 10 years old, son of Mr. Alexander Wilson, lives between Independence and Buena Vista, was thrown from a horse on Saturday, striking his head against a rock and nearly fracturing his skull. He has been unconscious most of the time since.

Wardle, who was shot by Farris near McMinnville, is still alive, but his recovery is nearly impossible. The ball passed through the right lung, ranging downward, and was taken out near the sp ne in the small of the back. He is quite old and had many physical misfortunes before

Oregon City *Enterprise*: Sour black bears were killed last week at Eagle creek. That section of the country seems to be the home of quite a number of large grey mountain wolf. The experience of every year proves that the state should pay a bounty for the scalp of every animal that is destructive to live stock. Let our representatives in the legislature see to this.

Dr. Parker of Clackamas county held an inquest last Sunday upon the body of a man found on the bank of the Molalla river about 12 miles from the Ramsby bridge. The jury brought in a verdict that his name was Charles Steffes, age about 45, and that he died from natural causes. Dated June 14, 1884, near Molalla, Clackamas county, Oregon. Near him were found a roll of blankets and two canvas sacks containing clothing. Upon his person was a pocket-book containing $25 and a German silver watch with the works in good running order. Also a certificate of naturalization dated Oregon City, 1875, given to Robert Caudell Steffes. He had evidently been badly decomposed, and was ordered by the coroner to be encased in a box and buried on the spot.

Eastern Oregon.

Work on the Oregon Short Line bridge across Snake river is progressing at rapidly as high water will permit. The distance from the bridge to Huntington, the intended point of junction with the O. R. & N., is about four and a half miles. The track will follow a one Horse river, which will be crossed four times. These smaller bridges are now in process of construction.

The Newark *Daily Advertiser* credits the Trenton *Times* with the following encomium, and remark that: "New Jersey's interest in he poultry industry is so great that she needs to watch carefully steps taken in foreign countries to improve the poultry of that country, and to see that whatever of good is originated in other localities is adopted here. The course of the English government in regard to the establishment of schools of Agriculture for the teaching of poultry decorators merits the serious attention of poultry fanciers here."

Just Received.

Under special contract, direct and fresh from the "fabricks" a large stock of Scotch and Canadian pianos, Whitney & Holmes and Kimball organs. We sell lower than the lowest. Call and look through our stock or send for catalogue before buying. J. H. Rothjee & Son, 220 First, Portland, Oregon.

Explained.

A call in respect daily from the interior of orders to make house dresses; also from ladies in Portland, generally would be pleased to take orders but owing to the fact that I have not a full assortment of goods in making up silks and worsted goods, having in fact silk in none than I can do and not confine myself and satisfy customers. I therefore must decidedly refuse all ladies and white goods. Respectfully,

MRS. E. M. LITT.

Good Luck.

Is your Boots and shoes bought for a song this time, from the big failure on First st. S. M. Barr, 149 Third st.

For visitors on hoast of all fine public carriages, or as carry escort and respectful drivers, we are now furnished by the C. C. & H. T. Co., cor. Second and Stark sts.

CITY NOTICES.

Victory, First and Ash.

For Alice's Music Store

Go to Keith's for oysters.

Knight, Druggist, Morrison, near Fourth.

Eastern oysters every steamer at Keith's.

Can Buell's Paint House, southside of Stark.

Ferguson's hair-cutting headquarters, No. 30 Stark street. Every man an artist.

Buy your candies at Staples', cor. Fourth and Morrison. Fresh candy every day.

Oysters from the morning's catch of mail receive prompt attention at the Portland Restaurant, Co.'s drug store, corner Morrison and Second streets.

Choice bundles of wit as, imported and domestic cigars at the Commercial, a popular resort.

Ne ver was a happier choice made than the last sewing machine received at Barnes's, 85 Morrison st.

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UP THE HIMALAYAS.

Perilous Ascent on a Track but Two Feet Wide.

A RODEL NARROW GAUGE.

Some Risky Curves on the Mountain Side—Remarkable Changes of Temperature—Scenes and Incidents

India Cor Inter Ocean.

Eight o'clock in the morning brought our train into Siliguri, and here we embarked in a narrow gauge train that was a narrow gauge with a vengeance—the Darjeeling Himalayan road. The width was two feet. The cars and engine were of almost microscopical proportions. In fact the cars could scarcely be called cars. There was one rude coach with cushioned seats which was labeled 'first class,' but the rest of the train was made up of half a dozen platform cars with seats facing each other and canvas canopies overhead a baggage van and a mail box on four wheels at the end. This sounds like a pretty respectable train so far as length is concerned, but the reader has yet to take into consideration the fact that each car or trolly was only about four feet wide by seven long—possibly five by eight in the very extreme measurement. Thus our whole train in theory of the engine, could not have been more than forty feet in length—about as long as a good respectable passenger car in America, I should judge.

There was distinction in quality among the trollies but the conductor or guard said, wished in according to our tickets so that each grade was by itself. Then commenced such a ride. Our little, but powerful locomotive coughed its way heroically up the steepest inclines at a speed of from seven to nine miles an hour, only slowing up as we rounded the sharpest curves, but the exercise consumed steam, and every few miles we had to stop to take on water, and this operation usually took about twenty minutes. Then there were two half hour stops for meals, I believe. When we were fully under way it seemed as if we were going a mile a minute. This effect was due to the extreme smallness of our wheels at least half of which projected up into the trolly leaving us only six inches above the rails. Of course the ground seemed to fly under us and the agonizing noise of the locomotive, together with the festive rocking of the cars, called to mind Horace Greeley's memorable stage coach ride.

I thought I had seen considerable narrow gauging in the Rocky mountains, and remembered a trip of about 900 miles on the Denver and Rio Grande railway with pride—but although I ascended to greater heights in Colorado, and by gradient's quite as steep the journey was a sober and dignified affair compared with this wild Himalayan experience.

On the Rio Grande road two thirty ton locomotives would handle our train, while we passengers reposed comfortably in our upholstered cars, and we felt that however slender our footing, there was granite under us. Here a single ton locomotive struggled and labored with us. We had to hold on to our wooden seats with both hands, and there were scores of ledges on which we moved the material of which was soft and no ton. Cape Horn in California is a pigmy affair unworthy of mention in this connection.

Of course the trip included all sorts of experiences, such as loops zigzags and all the modern improvements in the way of narrowing and perilous engineering.

For eight or nine miles our course was reasonably straight and it was nably level for we were still on the plains. Then we reached the foot of the mountains and at once began the long, laborious climb. Perhaps you can imagine what can be accomplished by a steel ribbon two feet wide such as our track; but I must do it.

After we had reached the first station I left the trolly and went out to examine the locomotive.

"I say, Johnson," said the engineer cordially—a well informed gentleman of some 60 years; I should judge—"I am in favor of temporary mental aberration. I accepted the invitation. The locomotive was a queer looking affair so small that there were no seats in the cab and I was obliged to compress myself to the dimensions of a case knife and hang on to an iron rod. On the top of the locomotive, which was flat, were some bags of cargo, and the roof of the cab may be hitched as in the statement that the native firemen shifted these bags from side to side as we rounded many of the curves.

"This is not the engine for this sort of work, said the engineer; "this is one of the old ones and real not trustworthy. You see that engine following behind us? She has to charge the goods train." Well that is the proper style to have. See the boiler is right over the track behind the cow-catcher being a broad flat, shallow tank. That throws the center of gravity forward and down. Now in the case of this locomotive you can see that the bulk of the weight is too high up. Disturb our balance a little, and over we go.

At this point we rounded a loop that would make the famous one on the Los Angeles road in California look very spry.

"The radius of that loop," said the engineer "is just fifty feet. We have two others, the radius of which is about one chain. Many of the gradients are being constantly eased the curves enlarged, and the reversing stations modified so that the mutability of the road is as somewhat a by-word."

"I can believe that it ought to be. I look upon the road somehow as if it were an elongated hair-snake wriggling, and writhing on the mountain sides. After several hours of this perilous railroading the engineer pointed out up a hillside and said:

"Around yonder is the shortest curve in the whole line. It is always giving us trouble, and men are now at work laying out a new route which shall have a little longer radius. Fifty land is such just there that they experience great difficulty. We are now going to mount up to the place by a zig zag of one in seven and a climb which requires all the reserve energy of the engine."

So saying he gave free rein to the saucy little upstart of an iron horse (I scarcely feel justified in dignifying it by the name of locomotive) and soon we were groaning, rocking and puffing our way up the incline. I confess the experience was as exhilarating as any I ever enjoyed, in fact there is a limit to the amount of exhilaration which I am capable of enjoying, and I have always been that we passed that limit. Now we neared the bugbear of curve reported to and causing his machine as much as he had goaded it before the engineer remarked:

"This curve is the critical point in the whole journey. Engines have jumped the track here a good many times, and we have to run very slow since only three wheels are able to grip the rails at once. Perhaps you think I am drawing a pretty long bow but—"

Just at this juncture we reached the sharpest point in the curve, and the gallant little engine, which had been quivering and struggling in a truly pitiable way reared like a wornout horse. For a moment I feared that it would topple backward and crush us. Then it gave a desperate lurch forward, and with a few more efforts reached the summit.

"Now," said the engineer, "we will descend into Sikkim, and you will see some fine scenery."

Sikkim! Why, I had been in Sikkim for hours. Sikkim was a province of India, and I had been in India for days. Sikkim was a province of India, and I had been in India for days. Sikkim was a province of India, and I had been in India for days